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WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 15, 1918.

Pay your Income Tax to insure your income.

"Our Pilgrim fathers lived entirely without wheat and surely no one ever looked upon them as weaklings," said Dr. J. N. Hurty, secretary of the Indiana State Board of Health, and one of the most famous "health cranks" in the world. Dr. Hurty sees nothing unreasonable in the Food Administration's appeal for an entirely wheatless diet.

WILL THERE BE A TRIPLE DRIVE?

Everything points so clearly to a renewal of the German offensive on the western front that the strange story of the decision not to use the American army for the present was deemed incredible even before the denial of its truth. The Allies may have good reason for believing that they can hold the line. But they have no such superiority to the Germans as would justify weakening their forces in the least degree. Recent heavy fire between Arras and Albert may not presage an immediate movement. We do not know how far the Germans have repaired the losses they incurred in previous attacks. It is obvious, however, that they are now in a position from which they must either advance or retreat. In the north the Allies hold the most favorable ground. The Germans are in the plain, under constant observation, where every step brings them under fire. Thus they cannot take the Allies by surprise. Their great chance of success in the Ypres attack lay in speed, and now they have come to a halt. Another vigorous offensive is possible, of course, but the conditions are against its success, and if it fails there seems to be no alternative to retirement.

These considerations point to the conclusion that the new drive will be made in the vicinity of Amiens. Here the Germans are spread out across all the streams except the Noye, so that these are no longer useful to the Allies for purposes of defense. At the same time the German position makes co-operation difficult. An advance on a wide front would meet with many topographical obstacles. If there is concentration anywhere it will probably be on the Somme front near Arras. Elsewhere an advance would create a series of salients difficult and even dangerous to hold. The very fact that this part of the front has been quiet lately suggests that it may soon be active. For breaking through or bending back the Allied line here would give the Germans a tremendous advantage. The very possibility of such a thing emphasizes the Allies' need of every available re-enforcement, including the American troops.

That the Germans, when they strike, will strike as heavily as they can, may be taken for granted. The report that the high command is urging Austria to send her army in the Tyrol to the western front is not in the least improbable. If it be true, it means that the previous report of German re-enforcements for the Italian front was inaccurate. Yet massing of Austrian troops and guns between Innsbruck and the Udine indicates that a drive in that quarter is to be made, though by the Austrians alone. Again, there is renewed talk of a German naval offensive and of the supersubmarines which Germany is building, for the purpose primarily of checking the operations of the destroyers. Such a "triple drive" would be the logical consequence to the drive on the western front. It would be a union of all the resources of the Central Powers to force a decision this year. From all that is known of their internal conditions this is an imperative necessity for them.—Philadelphia Ledger.

NEVADA WILL STAGE WET OR DRY FIGHT

Carson City, Nev., May 15.—Prohibition is now the controlling issue in Nevada politics. Both party organizations and the politicians of both parties are endeavoring to avoid it but the contest—within the Republican and Democratic parties—is a fight between the wets and the dries.

The Republicans have thus far two candidates in the field for governorship—Mr. Kearney, who is not committed on the prohibition issue, and Mr. Palmer, who is avowedly against prohibition. It is expected that former governor O'Leary will announce his intention to seek the Republican nomination for governor. His platform will be for non-dry prohibition.

In the Democratic ranks the line-up is equally clear. Governor Boyle is a candidate for re-nomination. He signed the initiative prohibition measure now pending before the people. He has repeatedly declared himself for prohibition. He urged President Wilson to support nation-wide prohibition as a war measure.

When Emmet Boyle was elected four years ago, prohibition was not an issue in any sense, nor was it mentioned in the platform of either party. When it became an issue in the initiative petition, Governor Boyle endorsed it. He will be opposed in the primaries by S. M. Pickett of Reno.

Mr. Pickett, in announcing his candidacy against Governor Boyle, made prohibition the overshadowing issue before the Democratic voters. He declared himself for "personal liberty" in the fullest sense. Mr. Pickett also signed a telegram to the President in opposition to national prohibition during the war. He has taken upon himself the leadership of the anti-prohibition campaign in the Democratic ranks and is the candidate of the wets.

The Republican candidate for United States senator, E. E. Roberts, is against prohibition, and as a member of the national house of representatives he cast his vote against the federal amendment.

As the situation now stands it appears very unlikely that any candidate for office in Nevada this year can weather the campaign without an open declaration, either for or against prohibition. Every candidate for the legislature will be expected to declare his position on the federal amendment.

MY PLATFORM IS EVERYTHING TO WIN THE WAR

1. The conservation of food; Stoppage of all waste, the ratification of the Prohibition amendment and immediate war time prohibition.
2. The conservation of coal.
3. The conservation of man power and the protection of labor.
4. The defense of America.

WILLIAM IRVIN SWOOP

FOR CONGRESS

Political Adv.

ENLISTED IN MARINES

David D. Conser and Lincoln J. Mills, of Houtzdale, enlisted in the U. S. marines at the Altoona recruiting office on Thursday last.

George Burns, who used to hold the initial sack for the Detroit Tigers, is doing a nice job of first basing for the Athletics.

ONE WEAK SPOT

Many Clearfield People have a weak Part and too often it's the back. Many people have a weak spot. Too often it's a bad back. Twinges follow every sudden twist. Bull aching keeps up day and night. Backache is often the weak kidneys. In such cases a kidney medicine is needed. Doan's Kidney Pills are for weak kidneys.

For backache and urinary ailments, Clearfield people recommend the remedy. Miss Whitt of Wagner Smith Street Clearfield, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and have found them an excellent remedy for backache and a few kidney troubles. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at A. M. Thayer's drug store. They helped me very much."

Price 60c at all dealers. Doan's Kidney Pills are sold everywhere. Doan's Kidney Pills are sold everywhere. Doan's Kidney Pills are sold everywhere.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the name of William Menden as a candidate for the office of Member of the Republican State Committee, Primary May 21st, 1918. P. O. Address, Houtzdale, Pa.

FOR CONGRESS

We are authorized to announce the name of E. J. Jones of Bradford, Pa., as a candidate for the office of Member of the Twenty-first Congressional District, subject to the rules of the Republican party. Primary May 21, 1918.

We are authorized to announce the name of Evan J. Jones of Bradford, Pa., as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the twenty-first district composed of the counties of Clearfield, Centre, Cameron and McKean, subject to the rules of the Republican party. P. O. address, Bradford, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of Harry W. Brown of Osceola Mills, Pa., as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the twenty-first Congressional District, subject to the rules governing the Prohibition Party. P. O. Address, Osceola Mills, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of William I. Swoope of Clearfield as a candidate for the office of Congress to represent the 21st Congressional district composed of Clearfield, Centre, Cameron and McKean Counties. Subject to the rules of the Republican party, Primary May 21st, 1918.

We are authorized to announce the name of John Richardson of McKean County, as a candidate for Congress from the Twenty-first Congressional District, composed of the counties of Clearfield, Centre, Cameron and McKean, subject to the rules of the Republican party. P. O. address Bradford, Pa.

FOR STATE SENATE

We are authorized to announce the name of S. J. Miller of Butler township, Clearfield county as a candidate for the office of State senator from the 3rd Senatorial district of Pennsylvania, subject to the rules governing the Republican party. P. O. Address, Madera, Pa.

FOR ASSEMBLY

We are authorized to announce the name of D. D. Miller of Penn township, as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican Party.

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. Chas. J. Neungberg, of Grass Flat, as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican party. Post office address Grass Flat, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of Hon. A. S. Moulthrop of DuBois, Pa., as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules governing the Republican party. Post Office, DuBois, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of Ed. Lippert of Lawrence Township as a candidate for the office of Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican Party. Post Office, Clearfield, R. F. D.

We are authorized to announce the name of Joseph E. Phillips of Clearfield, as a candidate for the office of Member of General Assembly at Harrisburg subject to the rules of the Republican party. Post office address, Clearfield, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. A. H. Pidgeon, of Houtzdale, as a candidate for the office of

DR. PIDGEON'S PLATFORM

Houtzdale, Pa., May 11, 1918
To the Republican Voters of Clearfield County:

As the date of the Primary election approaches, I find that I will be unable to see each voter personally as I had intended, for the reason that one-half of my time has been given to the government in caring for the dental needs of the new National army.

The chief issue before the people today is National Prohibition, and in reference to that subject I will say: That if nominated and elected I will do everything in my power for the passage of that measure with both my vote and influence.

I am a member of the Vigilance committee of Houtzdale borough, an organization which has for its object the desire to see every man do his full duty in our present crisis, that none evade their responsibilities, that justice be done to all, and that no favorites be played no matter what their position of influence. And, in order that our boys in the trenches may have the full support of those left at home I will, if elected, advocate a law that will compel every man, who is physically fit, to go to work; go to the trenches and fight; or go to jail.

I am in favor of and will support any good roads measure that will bring the greatest good to the greatest number.

I believe in the abolition of the German language from the public schools, now and forever.

Finally, I am a Republican, first, last and all the time; but I am also with our President in any measure he may advocate to win the war.

Respectfully
M11-10 DR. A. H. PIDGEON
Political Adv.

Statement of the CLEARFIELD NATIONAL BANK Clearfield, Penna.

Condensed from its report to the Comptroller of the Currency May 10, 1918

RESOURCES	
Investments	\$1,124,278.03
United States Bonds and Certificates of Indebtedness	596,250.00
War Savings Stamp	587.46
Bonds, Securities, etc.	297,160.00
Bank building & fixtures	49,642.79
Overdrafts	902.90
Due from Banks	272,407.14
Cash on Hand	70,170.57
	\$2,351,398.91

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus Fund	200,000.00
Undivided Profits	45,011.68
Dividends Unpaid	152.09
Circulation	200,000.00
Payments on Liberty Loan Subscriptions	49,935.88
Due to Banks	4,437.76
Due Depositors	1,057,891.67
	\$2,351,398.91

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Member of the General Assembly at Harrisburg, subject to the rules of the Republican party. Favors the adoption of the National Prohibition Amendment.

P. O. address, Houtzdale, Pa.

Every Kiddie Needs Sandals

Barefoot Days are Here

The youngsters want to discard their shoes and stockings. Let them; it will do them good.

But save yourself a lot of worry and protect their feet from broken glass, rusty nails, stone bruises and slivers by having them wear sandals. Even if they don't go barefoot, they will like the cool, foot-freedom that sandals give.

We have them from \$1.00 up.

Lytle Brothers

Market St. Opposite Court House Clearfield Pa.



Vote For EVAN J. JONES For Congress

Vote for--- D. D. MILLER of Penn township For GENERAL ASSEMBLY NEXT TUESDAY

(Political Advertisement)

Prepared To Serve You

The equipment of this bank has been developed to serve the special needs of the District.

Its officers and directors are representative business men of Central Pennsylvania who know conditions in this section of the State. They have provided facilities to take care of all the business needs of the community.

If you wish the best of banking service, your account is invited.

The County National Bank OF CLEARFIELD

Capital \$500,000 Surplus and Profits \$700,000
THE OLDEST BANK IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY

FACTIONALISM IS A SPECIES OF AUTOCRACY

Against which the whole world now up in arms, including the voters of Pennsylvania

REPUBLICANS WILL VOTE FOR
ROBERT PATTON HABGOOD FOR GOVERNOR
On May 21, 1918, and Thereby

RESOLVE the question that of this day in the year 1918

NOMINATE the only candidate who is not a factional candidate

NOMINATE a only candidate who has the endorsement of the County Committee from his home county

NOMINATE the only candidate who voted for the Warrenton Convention at Harrisburg, Pa. on May 14, 1918, and who voted for the National Prohibition Amendment

A NATIONAL WIDE BATTLE LINE

RESOLVE to bring unity and harmony to the Commonwealth

MAINTAIN the Republican over and above Factional

RECOGNIZE a large section of the State which never had a Gov.

6-1-1918

REFUSE to be drawn into the factional fights of Philadelphia.

"Habgood and Harmony" Will Sweep the State



*"A great net of mercy drawn through
an ocean of unspeakable pain"*

YOUR Red Cross is an all-American, largely volunteer organization, authorized by Congress, headed by President Wilson, audited by the War Department, enthusiastically approved by your Army, your Navy, and your Allies.

The work covers both military and civilian relief in every war-torn Allied country and full reports of all expenditures are continually being published, or are available through the Chapters.

It stands beside our boys in training here or "over there."

It watches beside the pillows of battle-broken men, and offers rest and sympathy to war-torn fighters on brief respite from the front.

It carries food and clothing to hungered mothers and little ones in ruined villages.

It helps rebuild the scattered pile of brick and stone they once called "Home."

It brings back to the hopeless mother's arms her long-lost child.

It helps care for the orphans of the men who died that civilization might live.

It helps care for the thousands that have fallen prey to dread tuberculosis.

It nobly represents in deeds of mercy, relief, and restoration the more than twenty million members that have made its great work possible.

Will You Do Your Share to Keep This "Hand of Mercy" at Its Work?

Every cent of every dollar received for the Red Cross War Fund is spent for war relief. All administration costs, relief work for other than war purposes (such as the Halifax and Guatemala disasters) are taken care of out of membership dues, and the interest accruing from the banking of the War Fund has made available for war relief at least \$1.02 for every \$1 contributed.

Contributed to The Red Cross

by

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Classified Ads For Everybody

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Wages from \$5 to \$6 a week. Apply 404 S. Second street. H. & C. phone 199-2. M11-1f-cu

WANTED—To exchange piano with mandolin and banjo attachment on auto, 2 passenger preferred. Call Progress office. 1w-pd

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Miss Julia Miller, W. Front street, Phone H. & C. 442-2. A29-tf-ch

WANTED—Laundry woman three days a week. All modern conveniences for washing. Apply at this office or at corner of Second and Cherry street. M11-1f

WANTED—A girl at the Leonard House. Phone H. & C. 107. M2-tf-c

WANTED—A boy over 15 years of age to learn the baking trade. Apply at Schmidt's bakery, Second street. M2-tf

Several women wanted for cleaning. Apply at Clearfield hospital. M15-3tc

WANTED—A man to plant a field of potatoes on shares. Apply at this office or corner of Second and Cherry street. M11-1f

WANTED—Woman to do washing. Apply 118 Weaver street or call H. & C. phone 210. M11-1f

WANTED—Young lady to learn bookkeeping. Apply at Tannery office. Elk Tanning Co., Clearfield, Pa. M15-3tc

MUSICIAN WANTED—I have an opening for a young lady who can play the piano and who also has some business ability to work in music store. Good hours. Address 123 C. Progress. M15-1f

WANTED

WANTED—Boarders by the day, week or month. Douglas hotel, East End. M1-tw

WANTED—5,000 old feather beds, highest cash prices paid. Write postal to Pullman Feather Co., care Progress Clearfield Pa. 2-6mo

WANTED—To buy an up to date home in Clearfield. Must be centrally located, and have all conveniences. Address A. B. C. care Progress. M13-4tp

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR RENT—Farm of 31 acres, under good state of cultivation, good buildings and underlaid with coal. Near Mt. Zion school house about two and half miles from Clearfield. Inquire at The Progress. M11-t

FOR SALE—House and lot located on E. Market street. A bargain if sold at once. Inquire of Kennard & Snyder. M11-1w-pd

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE—There will be a sale of household goods, beginning Tuesday at 9 a. m. Must be sold at once. At 325 Fourth street. M13-4tc

FOR SALE—Private sale of furniture and rugs. Call at 363 Locust street. M13-1tp

FOR SALE—Latest model Singer sewing machine, drop head. The reason for selling is that the owner has an electric sewing machine. For sale cheap. Inquire of Progress. M15-3tc

FOR SALE—A gray reed baby carriage in good condition. Call at 211 W. Front or call H. & C. 169x2. M15-3tpd

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished house, during months of June, July and August. Call at No. 6 Market street. M15-1f

FOUND

FOUND—A gold chain and locket with the initials "P. E." engraved thereon was picked up on the streets and left at this office for the owner. This notice will last for one week. You can get the locket.

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

Mrs. Henry Stockbridge who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Ammerman, is at present visiting in Philipsburg.

Cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Meyer, South Side, Thursday evening.

An 8 pound boy baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lantz at the Clearfield hospital yesterday.

G. L. Benner has returned home from a week's visit with relatives at New Bethlehem.

Mrs. Lewis Meise who was here attending the funeral of her stepfather, the late James J. Hunter, returned to her home in Clearfield yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fleming of State street have returned home from a visit to Altoona.

Samuel Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Smith of South Side, who has been stationed at Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., is now on his way to France.

John Haley, of near Grampian, was a business visitor in town yesterday afternoon.

H. L. Bowman was up from the county seat transacting business yesterday.

Funeral services of the late Glenn Bloom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bloom, of Bloom township, who passed away Sunday, was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The deceased was aged 21 in February and was a successful school teacher in that vicinity. Death was due to leakage of the heart from which the young man had been suffering for some time. Burial was made at Greenville.

Mrs. H. E. Thompson is visiting her aunt Mrs. George Purdy in DuBois.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dale, of DuBois are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Dale of George street.

Mrs. Frances Fleck and Mrs. Robert Shaffer visited their niece and cousin Mrs. M. A. McGinnis at the Dimeling in Clearfield Monday.

Miss Frances Smith visited in Clearfield yesterday.

O'SHANIER

O'Shanier was well represented at the carnival on Saturday night.

Hannah Sheddler is home for a couple of weeks where she will assist her mother in moving to their new residence.

Mrs. Merle Aughenbaugh returns

Why You Should Use The Watts Plants

BECAUSE They are grown from the highest grade seed, strongest in vitality and producing qualities.

BECAUSE They are grown in soil and boxes that have been thoroughly steam-sterilized, no disease or germs go with them.

BECAUSE They are not soft and tender, but stocky low-built, hardened and rugged.

BECAUSE They are all Transplanted, have strong root systems and are far superior to the low priced seedlings so often sold.

BECAUSE They are sold in small boxes, soil and all, and can be kept indefinitely if the garden is not ready.

BECAUSE They can be planted in the garden with large chunks of soil attached to the roots.

BECAUSE They embrace the varieties of cabbage, tomato, celery, cauliflower, peppers, etc. best adapted to the soil, climatic and market conditions of this region.

BECAUSE They are sold at reasonable prices by the Workman's Stores of Clearfield and by dealers in most towns of this section and at

WATTS PLANT FARM
Curwensville, Pa.

One Million Sweaters For Army and Navy

The American Red Cross is the greatest volunteer organization that the world has ever seen. It was announced by one of the high officials in Washington that millions of people are and have been for some months working six days a week without a dollar's pay. This includes the members of the local chapters and all other employees in this country and abroad. One significant item in this is the fact that the Red Cross has given the army and navy over 1,000,000 sweaters for the boys in the service, of which over 500,000 were made by the members of the local chapters. You who know the difficulty of making sweaters can estimate the character of the work and the self-sacrifice that the women of America are making to further the Red Cross mission of mercy.

Miller's Antiseptic Oil, Known as

Snake Oil

Accomplishing most wonderful results. I want to thank you for your wonderful oil, states Mr. J. C. Gibson, of Jonesboro, Ark. My little girl was very low with diphtheria; I had given her two doses of medicine which cost me \$20 with no results. I bought a 25c bottle of your oil and one application relieved her. Now she is well. It is the greatest remedy I ever saw. Mr. Gibson made this statement before hundreds of people. Mrs. Florence Menager, 204 Whitney St., Hartford, Conn., writes: "I have used your Antiseptic Oil for neuralgia with great effects. Only thing I have ever tried that stopped the pain immediately." Mrs. Williams, Gadsden, Ala., writes: "I have used your great pain oil for rheumatism, stiff joints, also for sore throat, and I want to say that it is the greatest remedy I ever tried. I recommend it to all sufferers. Many cures reported daily from thousands of grateful users of this wonderful oil. Every bottle guaranteed 25c, 50c and \$1.00 or money refunded. At Dooley's Drug store.

to her home in DuBois after an extended visit with J. Aughenbaugh.

Isabel Thorburn attended business in Curwensville and Clearfield Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rowles and family and Margaret Thorburn attended to Curwensville Saturday night.

James Sneddon attended business in Clearfield.

O'Shanier will be a scene of which will long be remembered after the celebration on Saturday. The people of O'Shanier are going to raise a service flag and Old Glory. There will be an interesting entertainment in the afternoon and a festival in the evening. A band and parade will be among the features of the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ammerman motored to Clearfield Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Sawyer left O'Shanier Monday after spending several months at this place.

The Excelsior class of the M. P. school are giving a social Wednesday night on the church lawn.

OSCEOLA MILLS

The Knights of the Mystic Chain lodge accompanied by a large delegation of the lodge from Philipsburg attended service at the Episcopal church on Sunday morning.

Guy B. Rickenbaugh of New York, visited his brother C. B. Rickenbaugh general manager of the Moshannon Coal Mining Co. here on Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Brown was summoned to Harrisburg on Sunday on account of the serious illness of her father E. B. Hartman who is known to many of the readers of this paper.

The total of the Liberty Loan subscriptions amount to \$309,350.00. The allotment for this place being \$144,750. As we more than doubled the allotment our honor flag will contain an extra star. Much credit is due the ladies committee for the result.

Mrs. Helen B. Baxter of Philadelphia, Mrs. Charles C. Henry of Lock Haven and Mrs. Carrie Richards of Philadelphia, are visiting friends in town this week.

The commencement exercises in the M. E. church were largely attended on Friday evening when the class delivered their orations with much credit to themselves.

Mrs. Robert Rickett of Philipsburg, was a shopper in town on Saturday.

Patriotic women in New York City are leading a movement to boycott news stands which display the German language papers for sale.

CLF. FLOUR & FEED CO.

CARDINAL GIBBONS MESSAGE

There is in these times a veritable ocean of sorrow and suffering engulfing millions of souls, and a society with the membership and resources of the Red Cross, actuated as it is by Christian principles, can best undertake the tremendous burden of extending intelligent and efficient relief. In particular I approve of the Red Cross activities as they are directed towards supporting the courage and caring for the injuries of our young soldiers and sailors. It is my earnest hope that all of our people will cheerfully and generously cooperate with the Red Cross committee in the fullest measure of charity that it may be possible for the society to attain.

JAMES CARDINAL GIBBONS,
Archbishop of Baltimore.

OR HELL.

What crimes are committed in this name! Here is a perfectly good American preacher shouting from the pulpit, "Go hell with the Kaiser!" I don't think it's fair.

It is a preacher's business to divide the sheep from the goats all right, but he ought to be a little more careful about who he sends to either place.

Of course no person who ever lived would want to see the Kaiser in heaven, but on the other hand wants to have him on our hell?

Some of us may have to serve time there and I am sure the devil could not give us the attention we are entitled to if he had the Kaiser's attention.

Anyhow I don't believe the devil wants him.

Why should he want anybody who knows the business of deviling better than he does himself?

Why I'll bet a dollar that if Wilhelm ever got to that hot place he would soon try to drive the devil out and institute new forms of administration. He could give our old reliable devil many points in efficiency, and would brag about it so much that undoubtedly he could get a certain number of the inmates to join him in a war of defense and drive out the loyal damned.

I hope the preacher will take it all back for when the contract for hell was let I don't think it was anticipated that there would ever develop on this earth human brutes so utterly depraved as the Kaiser and his kind. To wish him on hell is wrong.

BROOKVILLE LAD MISSING SINCE SUNDAY P. M.

Harry Helsell, 10 years old son of H. L. Helsell, of Brookville, has been missing since Sunday afternoon and a diligent search is being made for him. The youngster was around home as usual on Sunday morning but in the afternoon left the house and no trace of him has since been found. His parents are distraught. The boy is of slender build, very light hair, blue eyes and has a scar from a burn on his right leg, running from about two inches above the ankle to two inches above the knee. He had no trouble at home and there is no reason for his going away. Any one having any information is requested to telephone to Sheriff Mayes, Brookville, Pa.

Colgate's Toilet Preparations

It isn't often that you'll find such a complete assortment of the famous Colgate family in a store like ours.

We like to sell these, however, for we know that they give such universal satisfaction to everyone who has ever tried them.

WE HAVE

Milage Cream in jars 25c
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Crushed Violet Rose
Jergens Benzoin Lotion 35c
Our Special Talc 10c

Ross & Woods

The Eastern Red Cross have a service



SHOWER BATHS FOR CHILDREN

Low Wash Basins and Little Shower Baths Adapted for the Use of the Tots.

CHATEAU DES HALLES NOW CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

One of the Most Complete Establishments of Its Kind in France, With Jolly Playrooms and Toys to Amuse Patients.

Up in the mountains, where the snow falls early and lies deep, 30 miles from Lyons, is the little French village of Les Halles—a story book village, with its massive stone church standing sentinel over two long rows of trim, blue-gray plaster cottages. And a mile farther on is the Chateau des Halles, where your Red Cross has established a home for 200 sick children.

Margini built the chateau. Margini was the man who built the railroad along the Riviera and many other railroads in France. And thirty odd years ago he built this castle up in the mountains for his country home. But soon after his two children died. Then he died, and when his widow followed him she left the chateau to the city of Lyons to be used as a hospital for children.

The War's Wreckage.

Then came the war. A little rivulet of the war's wreckage began to trickle in at Evian—"repatriates," elderly men and women, children, even babies, who had once lived in the parts of France occupied by the German hordes and whom the German hordes had used as laborers, finding them useful. They were shipped back into France by way of Switzerland. Gradually this rivulet swelled. Soon 1,000 of these unfortunate were arriving daily. And fully half of them were children, undernourished, thin, clad, dirty, sickly and, worse, with disabilities, with faces that had forgotten how to smile.

To care for these children was the task your Red Cross at once assumed. Working with the French authorities, the Red Cross secured permission to make use of the old and almost forgotten Chateau des Halles, up there in the mountains. For years the castle had been closed. No effort had ever been made to fit it up as a hospital. The Red Cross had to begin at the very beginning.

Rooms Big and Jolly.

But what a wonderful task it has accomplished! The Chateau des Halles, transformed into a children's hospital and rest home in furious haste under the terrible pressure of war needs, with little time to think twice and no time to retrieve errors, is not only one of the most complete establishments of its kind; it is one of the best children's hospitals in all France. The two rooms where the arriving children are isolated for a few days are big, jolly rooms—just what is needed to efface from the little ones' minds the memories of those iron days behind the German lines. The big play room is strewn with rocking horses and wonderful smile-enticing parrots and other toys carved by the wounded poilus.

And so you stray from room to room, and everywhere you find new evidences of this wonderful care. And then you reach the bathrooms. This chateau was built by a man of wealth. Its plumbing was excellent, and yet it has been stripped out and replaced with little, low wash basins and little shower baths that the children can use more comfortably.

HER WEIGHT IN GOLD.

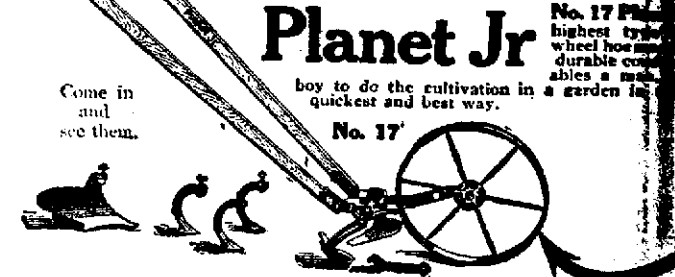
An Aviator's Letter Tells What a Red Cross Nurse Is Worth.

"As for the American Red Cross—well, I could never in a thousand years express my appreciation and admiration of those American women. I worship them. I guess all I can do is tell you about it some time—well, I went into the American Red Cross, and there, standing behind a nice clean counter, was a little round faced Red Crosser. She was just beaming on every one. Imagine! I never came as near making a fool of myself in my life. I felt like throwing my arms around her and weeping for joy. As it was, I managed to salt up my chocolate a bit—only a drop or two that I couldn't help rolling off my cheek. "If I ever paint an angel it will look just exactly like that little Red Crosser. They would be worth their weight in gold if they did nothing but just that."

These tools do the work of 3 to 6 men

One man can cultivate 3 to 6 times the usual acreage with Planet Jr implements. They are so ingeniously designed and scientifically constructed that with greatest ease they do thorough, rapid cultivation. Fully guaranteed.

"I'd rather have my Planet Jr Seeder during the season than an extra man writes one user."



For Sale By Wm. F. Powell

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Used by the Army and Navy. The shine that stands the wear. Preserves and softens leather.

SHINOLA HOME SET. Send one to your soldier boy to dust and polish his shoes.

Ask Nearest Store BLACK-TAN-WHITE-RED

OVERMAN BILL PASSES HOUSES BY LARGE MAJORITY

Washington, May 15.—The House yesterday afternoon passed the Overman bill clothing the president with wide powers for a reorganization of the government for war purposes. The measure, which has passed the senate, will now go to the president.

The vote was 295 to 2. Not a single change was made in the measure from which it passed the upper branch. The opposing votes were Gillet and Sterling. Today's action followed two days of debate. Although acting minority leader Gillet and other Republican leaders opposed the bill, it was defended by "Uncle Joe" Cannon, who in a speech today compared the attacks on President Wilson with the ones levelled against President Lincoln.

SPECIAL TRAINING FOR DRAFTED MEN

Washington, D. C., May 15.—Under orders from the Provost Marshal-General today has been fixed for beginning the mobilization of between 8,000 and 9,000 drafted men who have been selected to take a two months' course of training for special army industrial work. The men will be trained for work as machinists, classifiers, blacksmiths, automobile mechanics, general mechanics, sheet metal workers, electricians, carpenters, and radio operators.

Put that want ad in the Progress and get results.

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THIRTY-THREE CHILDREN
ADOPTED

Thirty-three needy French young-
sters assured of food, clothing,
schooling, comfort, and a home for
a year.

This may be summarized the prog-
ress of the second week since The
Stars and Stripes announced its plan
to afford units of the A. E. F. an
opportunity to take as their mascots
French children whose fathers have
been killed or permanently disabled
in their brave stand against "the
 Hun" and curs. With the five chil-
dren adopted last week, the total now
stands at 38.

From every part of France, it
seems, and from nearly every kind of
organization have come reassuring
responses—requests for boys of six
and for girls of ten. For girls of
11 and boys of ten, for brothers and
sisters, for tots driven from their
homes by the invasion of the Boche.
"We are with you," is the tone of
all these communications. "We are
glad to help."

One by one, the Cleveland Indians
are being called to the colors. Al-
ready the Indians have lost ten pas-
sengers, with an even chance that R.
Chapman and Josh Billings will bring
the number up to an even dozen.

Our College, in Atlanta, one of the
best colleges in the world chartered
exclusively for women, celebrates its
anniversary this month.

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Use it like you would soap.
Contains nothing injurious. RIT
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Simple instructions in each
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LETTER IN THE MORNING MAIL

How Mrs. Lane Finally Realized That Thousands of Other Mothers' Sons Are at War Scarred Battle Front.

By MAXIMILIAN FOSTER
Of the Vigilantes.

Mathematics teach us that 1 from 1 leaves nothing, and there is also the well known biological theorem that you cannot get blood from a turnip. It is also assumed, Sir Isaac Newton having demonstrated the law, that what goes up is bound to come down, but this is only abstract. Mrs. Lane probably would have denied it.

The flat rent, previously \$1,200 a year, now was \$1,400, and it showed no signs whatever of coming down. The same condition applied also to her children's shoes. The shoes now cost \$7, whereas they formerly had cost \$4, but this was merely a detail. A similar phenomenon occurred as to beefsteaks, potatoes, butter, fish and the 57 other varieties of domestic essentials. All had gone up; none had come down. About the only thing stable in Mrs. Lane's cosmos was Mr. Lane's yearly income. This was \$7,000 a year. Already Mrs. Lane had given up one maid. The war literally was at her door. True, Mrs. Lane had no son, no brother—no kin of any kind—in the war, but the war still was at her door.

Hard to Make Ends Meet.

Give money for the war? What do you think she was doing, anyway? She was giving every cent she had, trying to make both ends meet in her household. It hurt, though. Mrs. Lane was a kindly, warm hearted woman, and she would have liked to give. The war was dreadful! It was so dreadful she'd stopped reading about it. But one must read letters. One must do that when a friend takes the trouble to write them.

The letter came in the morning mail. Mrs. Lane read it, then she read it again. Afterward she sat there absorbed, silent, rigid. The color had crept out of her face, and her breath came swiftly from between her parted lips.

"I have just come back from the trenches," it read. "Such an after-noon! A raincloud of seriously wounded to be fed at once, which is trying, as one has to climb into all the carriages, one after the other. We begin with the men who are well enough to sit up and handle their cups, and those who are too ill even to lift their heads, of course, we have to lift and feed ourselves. Feeding the ones with bad face wounds are the hardest. I can stand ordinary wounds of blood, but when a man ought to have a nose and mouth and all he has is—ugh!—it takes all your courage to get through a feeding. I managed to get half a pint of milk and a beaten egg and some brandy down the throat of a boy of twenty who had no mouth left, and I had to do it between every mouthful. He had had no food for fifteen hours and was so thirsty that he was nearly insane. I held his head against me, and I gagged all the time, but I just kept thinking 'Suppose I was my boy who needed a drink' and there was no one to give it to him." So I went through with it, and he finally went to sleep. Oh, Martha, Martha Lane, see need everything—all you and the rest can send!"

If Lawrence Had Gone to War.

One o'clock struck. Mrs. Lane still sat with the letter clutched in her hand. "What's for dinner?" asked Hannah, the maid. Mrs. Lane hardly heard her. She was still sitting there when Olivia thundered in. Olivia was four-teen, the conscious age. "Mother," she said fretfully. "I can't go to dancing school again in brown gloves when all the other girls have white ones." The plaint reminded Mrs. Lane that Lawrence, at boarding school had written that morning about his socks. He had only two pairs of silk ones left. "And, mother," said Olivia, continuing—But what Olivia said Mrs. Lane didn't hear. She had dropped her head on the table and unaccountably was weeping. "Just suppose it was my boy—who!" she was sobbing.

"Why, mother?" ejaculated Olivia. She hurried toward her mother. "What is it, mother? You're acting just as though Lawrence had gone to war!" Mrs. Lane looked up, the tears streaking down her face.

"That's just what is the matter with me! I should be acting as if Lawrence were there. And so should you! If Willie were like these boys there," she pointed to the letter that had slipped from her lap to the floor—"if he were, like them, in need, dying, wanting eggs, milk, brandy, to keep him alive, would you be buying white gloves? And would we think what other people wear or how they live or whether we had only one servant now? If my boy was over there, if my son were—"

But other women's sons are over there. Mrs. Lane had at last realized this. The tears were rolling down her cheeks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dale of Du-Bois are visiting Mr. Dale's daughter, Mrs. John Toot of Red street.

John Barratt, of Ridgway was visiting relatives in town today

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Wynn left today after spending a few days with the latter's parents.

Mrs. A. E. Letzinger, Miss Helen Dufton and guest Miss Kathryn Cressman of Philadelphia left this morning for Ann Arbor, Mich., to visit William Letzinger and John Dufton who are attending the University of Michigan there. From there Miss Dufton and Miss Cressman will go to Battle Creek, Mich., to visit Lt. Edward Dufton who is stationed at Camp Custer.

Miss Lillian Carlisle of Pittsburgh arrived last evening to visit at the home of Matt Savage on Pine street.

Miss Bess Shaw left today for Williamsport, where she will make her home.

George Ammerman, Leslie Strunk and George Strickland, all of Curwensville, were among the out of town visitors at the carnival here last evening.

Mrs. Harry Emory of Curwensville was shopping in our stores yesterday.

Douglas Dunsmore of Curwensville attended the carnival here last evening.

Mrs. Harry Boulton will entertain Thursday afternoon at a knitting party at her home on West Market street.

Ernest Walker of Faunce, was attending to business in town today.

Mrs. Gilbert Lighty and daughter, Helen, of Grampian, were among the out of town shoppers here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hoover and son Billie and Mrs. Hoover's mother Mrs. John Troxell arrived home yesterday from Petersburg, Va., where they were visiting Corp. Glasgow B. Troxell at Camp Lee.

John Cornell of Faunce, was attending to business in town today.

Mrs. Jennie McNaul of Curwensville, was shopping here yesterday.

William Orr of Glen Richey attended the carnival here last evening.

Mrs. Otto F. Adamitz was shopping in our stores yesterday.

Miss Agnes Dugan of Osceola, was among the out of town shoppers here yesterday.

Roy Fullington left today for Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., after spending his furlough with relatives here.

Mrs. G. Warner Johnson and son Arden and parents Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Thorn returned yesterday from an auto trip to Selingsgrove, Sunbury and Harrisburg.

Miss Mary Shearer of Curwensville was shopping in our city yesterday.

James McGee of McGees Mills attended to business here today.

Jesse Straw of Wigton transacted business here today.

A. M. Spencer of DuBois, was in town on business today.

John McGrath of Houtzdale, had business at the county seat today.

William Strayer of Detroit, Mich., arrived yesterday to spend a week's vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Philip Strayer of Cemetery Road.

Paul Dempsey, of Osceola, was attending to business in town today.

J. A. Duff, of Mahaffey transacted business in our city today.

Statement of the COUNTY NATIONAL BANK of Clearfield, Pa. At the close of business May 16, 1918 (Compiled from its report to the Comptroller of Currency)	
RESOURCES	
Investments, less demand	
U. S. bonds	\$4,098,150.70
U. S. notes	5,701.07
U. S. States bonds	1,803,150.00
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	49,140.69
Due from United States Treasury	27,960.00
Interest earned but not collected	27,800.00
Cash Resources	
On hand	182,112.47
Due from banks	940,872.88
Demand loans on collateral	121,125.53
Total	6,762,013.34
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	500,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	785,057.17
Reserve for interest and taxes	40,162.40
Provision for losses	500,000.00
Due from banks	8,069.80
Deposits unpaid	257.00
Total	4,977,931.97

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BAPTISTS AT ATLANTIC CITY

Atlantic City, N. J., May 15.—Seven thousand delegates and probably twice as many visitors have gathered at this resort to attend the Northern Baptist convention, which was formally opened today. Nearly every state of the union is represented. The sessions will continue an entire week and will be devoted to the consideration of important questions affecting the future work of the denomination. Widespread problems of the church have a foremost place on the agenda.

The convention controls the activities of the American Baptist Publication society, with headquarters in Philadelphia; of the American Baptist Foreign Mission society, with headquarters in Boston, and of the American Baptist Home Mission society, with headquarters in New York City.

ANOTHER HOSS TRADER BIT

The home-spun philosophy of David H. am will again be matched against Blackstone's logic, in more "loss time" litigation in the Clearfield county courts, following an action begun by Pentz & Pentz in the Prothonotary's office yesterday. In this case, suit is brought on behalf of Harry Cathers of Jefferson county against Carson & Co., DuBois, horse dealers.

Cathers alleges that he purchased a team from Carson & Co. January 21, 1918, and that one of the horses did not live up to the representations made and following a demand that the horse be taken back made on April 25th last and refused, this suit is brought. Cathers wants \$300 for the defective horse.

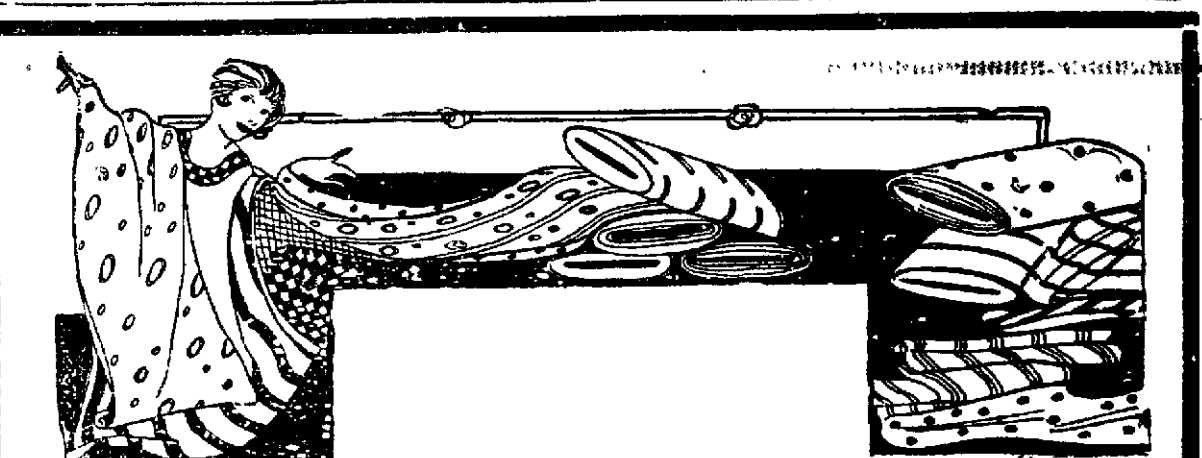
Advertise in The Progress.

was operated on for gonorr at the Clearfield hospital today.

Geo and George Baughman of W. C. Decatur were Clearfield visitors yesterday.

Mrs. C. B. Shaw of Shawville, is visiting Mrs. Jean Shaw Bailor of Market street.

Mr. Sam Hartland and three sons of Lintown are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson of Daisy street.



Thousands of Yards of Wash Goods Are on Display Marked at Prices That Show the Results of Keen Merchandising

You've heard, no doubt—AND WE KNOW IT FOR A FACT—that there are merchants who—as the common saying goes—"can't see beyond their nose." These are merchants who refuse to see ahead, and claim that they'll charge their customers whatever they have to pay, plus their accustomed profit. A very safe policy for the merchant this. But what about the customer who must pay more, due to the unprogressiveness of the store from which she buys?

If we were free with comparative quotations, we could unquestionably open your eyes in amazement at the savings effected in each and every case by foresighted purchasing of these wash goods stocks.

27 Inch Windsor Foulards at yard	25c
40 Inch Figured Voiles at yard	29c
32 Inch fine plaid dress gingham at yard	29c
36 Inch sport Pongees at yard	35c
36 Inch dress linens at yard	95c

Our Great Silk Sale Continues All This Week

Here is a wonderful bargain we have added to continue the interest in this great sale.

\$2.50 and \$3.50 Figured crepe-de-chine, 40 inches wide per yard 98c

These beautiful figured crepe-de-chines will not last long at this price, so we advise an early visit if you wish to secure any of these silks.

Three Interesting Specials

50c Fancy Ribbons at 29c Yd

A special purchase of 50 pieces makes this special possible. They are 5 and 6 inches wide in beautiful colors and designs, very desirable for hair bows, sashes and fancy bags, etc.

50c Summer Union Suits at 39c Yd

This is an odd lot we wish to close out. Fine gauze ribbed, comfy cut in lace and tight knee. A splendid value.

\$1 Porch Pillows at 79c

Round porch pillows of cretonne with ruffled edges, already filled ready for use. A regular \$1.00 value, our special price 79c.

A. W. LEONARDSON CO.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Dorothy Woodward, daughter of Hon. and Mrs. A. H. Woodward to Lieutenant Stayman Reed was announced last evening at a knitting party given at the Woodward home on Locust street.

Miss Woodward, who is a graduate of the Clearfield High School and also of Randolph-Macon College, Va., is at present teaching history and English in the High School and is one of Clearfield's most talented and charming girls. Lt. Reed is the son of A. B. Reed of Front street and at present is stationed with the 216th Infantry at Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md. Lt. Reed received his commission at the First Officers' Training Camp at Ft. Niagara and at the time of his enlistment was a member of the graduating class at Princeton College. The date for the wedding has not been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Dotts of New Millport, motored to Clearfield today to shop.

Juice of Lemons! How to Make Skin White and Beautiful

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in them, this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice used to bleach and remove such blemishes as sallowness, freckles and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smoothenor and beautifier.

July try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make

up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck and hands. It naturally should help to soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is wonderful to smoothen rough, red hands.

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Use one spotting
cooking application of

VICK'S VAPORUB

25c—50c—\$1.00

Your Lawn

to be as beautiful as mother nature plans it shall be, should have a little assistance from you. It should have a shave at LEAST once a week with one of our

Lawn Mowers

Like a joy ride pushing one of the new models which run like a watch. Strictly high grade in every particular. Sizes run 12 to 18 inches at \$5.00 to \$15.00.

Many good landscape gardeners recommend sowing a little

Lawn Grass Seed

every growing month in the year for the best results. Woodruff's Central Park is an ideal mixture for the purpose. We sell it in bulk or in packages.

CLEARFIELD HARDWARE CO.,
125 Market St
Clearfield, Pa.

FOURTH BIG OFFENSIVE
NEARS BREAKING POINT

Artillery on the western front increased in intensity today on the sectors held by the British and French. The Germans were losing their shells particularly the Flanders front between Somme and the Ancre and against the French in the vicinity of Novon and Montdidier. This development in connection with the United Press dispatch regarding the great massing of German infantry behind the enemy lines may herald the resumption of the big offensive. In all infantry attacks during the last 24 hours the allies have reported successes. The French war office reported violent artillery fire at Montdidier and between the town of Novon. The capture of older at Hailes by the poilus was also announced, 70 prisoners being taken in action. The Germans counter attack violently but were unable to retake the ground. The Italian war office announced the successful bombardment of the Austrian submarine base of Cattaro by Italian planes.

German has embarked on her last great adventure with the Kaiser preparing to make good his boast that he will rule the world or see every man, boy, horse and dog meet his death, dispatches from Wm. Philip Simms declared. The teutons are mobilizing every resource—men including class 1919—for the final desperate effort to win a quick decision in the west. They are still resuming their drive on Paris and the course is still problematical, but German activity behind the lines is feverish.

Insight into the huge losses sustained by the Germans was given by Simms. Some regiments engaged which are now filled up and refitted with boys of 18 and 19 have lost 50 per cent. and 70 per cent. of their effectiveness. One regiment lost nine company heads.

German efforts on the entire front are in the meantime proving fruitless. General Haig today announced the resumption of enemy raids north of Lens and the success of the British in minor local attacks northeast of Robeque. German big guns are barking continuously on the northern sector of the Flanders front. Haig reported that the teutons this morning began a bombardment against points between the Ancre and the Somme. Southwest of Morelandcourt and north of Kemmel the bombardment began yesterday increased in its intensity the British commander said. It is possible the fourth phase of the big offensive may soon be launched.

While both sides are made ready for the gripping test on the western front the east smothered in revolution and counter revolution. All advices from Petrograd, Moscow and other Russian cities indicate that the Germans will find the enforcement of the Russian demands a bloody task. Caucasasia embracing the greater part of European Caucasasia—has notified the Central Powers and all neutrals that it has established itself as an independent country according to Constantinople advices via Amsterdam. The independence of Russia has been proclaimed.

LONGEST CASUALTY LIST

Washington, May 15.—Today's casualty list is one of the longest yet received from General Pershing. It contained a total of 120 names, 39 of the men are New England soldiers missing in action. The other casualties included 3 died in action; 3 dead from wounds; 6 wounded severely and 1 wounded slightly. Among the slightly wounded were Lieut. King Alexander, of Chambersburg, and Private Frank L. Pritchard, of Houseville, Pa.

GERMAN DROPPED FROM THE CLEARFIELD SCHOOLS

The Clearfield school board at a meeting held some two weeks ago passed a resolution providing for the dropping of German from our schools beginning with the next school year.

DIRECT VOTE OF LACK OF CONFIDENCE IS ITS MEANING

Washington, May 15.—President Wilson today notified Congress that he would regard passage of the Chamberlain resolution empowering the Senate Military Affairs Committee to investigate every phase of War Department work as a "direct vote of lack of confidence" in him and an attempt to take the control of the war out of his hands. President Wilson expressed his views in a letter to Senator Martin, Virginia Democratic leader. Martin read the letter to a hastily gathered conference of Democratic leaders and it was later presented by Senator Thompson to the Senate Committee of Audits and Controls which met today to act on the Chamberlain resolution.

There was radical disagreement over the President's views both in the conference of Democratic leaders and the committee. "The country knows where the responsibility lies and how the responsible one can be held to his duty," the President wrote. "Every supporter of the administration should vote against the resolution," he added. "These are serious times and it is absolutely necessary that the lines should be clearly drawn between friends and opponents." The letter was regarded by some as a request from the President to defeat the bill.

MUSICAL EVENT OF THE SEASON NEXT MONTH

These are strenuous days for Prof. Van Osten and his Glee club composed of the students of the High school.

It is expected to end the school year and the year's work of the Glee Club on Sunday afternoon June 2, with the presentation of the cantata "The Conversion" by Mathews, in the High school auditorium.

Soloists of note have been engaged for the soprano and basso solo and one of them, Thamez Cox, soprano the Harrisburg Telegraph says.

"The soprano solo chosen for the contest (the Pittsburgh International Bistiedfod) was the aria from 'Jephtha,' the famous old oratorio of Cancone, and Mrs. Cox, the last singer, had the vast audience of 8,000 people with her from start to finish, receiving boundless applause for her wonderful interpretation of the number and her exquisite voice."

Herbert Lloyd of Wilkesbarre, basso, who has been engaged for the solo work is one of Wilkesbarre's favorites and of him the Wilkesbarre Record under date of December last says:

"Mr. Lloyd pleased his friends with his songs—a voice of excellent smoothness and lyric quality—moreover the tone that really beguiles one with its natural charm."

This is a real musical treat for Clearfield and it is being looked forward to with much interest by music lovers of this city and vicinity.

FIREMEN WILL PARADE

The Clearfield Fire Department, assisted by the Carnival and Clearfield Italian bands, will give a short parade this evening, starting at 7 o'clock.

The parade is given to properly advertise the carnival now that the grounds are in such fine shape for visitors.

ENTERTAINS CLUB

Miss Ruth Beichtol entertained her club last evening at her home on Merrill street. After spending part of the evening playing games and dancing the girls decided to take in the carnival after which they returned to the hostess' home where a delicious lunch was served.

To Help Win the War



WHISKEY WENT UP SO DID "MOLDY"

"Moldy" Wingert don't care how high whiskey goes these days, he's going right up after it. That is he did go up some for some night before last, or at least that is the allegation.

According to the story told "Squire Chorpene" "Moldy" is said to have shinned up the fire escape on the Kurtz building and with the assistance of a short ladder, provided for the purpose, succeeded in getting to a third floor window and from thence into the "dynamite magazine" of the Elks club.

Once inside he proceeded to make a cleanup and is said to have decamped with six or eight quarts of nitroglycerine.

When the steward arrived in the morning the loss was discovered and Chief of Police Eadie notified. About the time of this notification the Chief was called to remove "Moldy" Wingert from the public highway near the Pennsylvania station. The Chief thought he was surely in luck when he got this call and such proved to be the case. He found "Moldy" with some of the alleged stolen goods on him and a copious quantity in him. He was hauled to the calaboose and when he had sobered up this morning was fined by Burgess Chase for violation of the borough ordinances and was then taken before Squire Chorpene to answer the burglary charge. In default of bail he was sent down to Fort Gorman.

ANOTHER HEAVY CALL FOR DRAFTES THIS MONTH

Washington, May 15.—Two calls aggregating 51,600 men were issued by Provost Marshal General Crowder tonight.

Only white men are included. They are to be sent to depots to be drawn upon to fill vacancies in units already organized.

Local boards are instructed to induct under these calls only such registrants as are qualified for general military service.

The movement of the first portion of these men will begin on May 20 and will be completed May 24. The second 25,800 will be entrained on May 29 and the movement to camps is scheduled to be completed June 2.

With these calls the aggregate number of draft ordered into military service during May is approximately 360,000.

The June quota it was said at the war department today, is not expected to be quite as large as the May movement.

THREE ENEMY ALIENS TAKEN

Harrisburg, May 15.—Three Austrians who today declared war on the American aviation supply depot at Middleton from behind a screen of bushes, firing many rounds of ammunition, were captured by soldiers who detoured and came upon the enemy from the rear. The Austrians are said to have been employed at the Bethlehem Steel Company plant. They return from last night's business late Frank Gorch, Z. Marko and Frank Michalski, and one of them, at least \$200. Every show is clean venture.

BIG CARNIVAL PLEASED ALL AT OPENING

Dorman & Krause Carnival is Clean Show Throughout And Pleases Large Crowd

FIBEMEN BENEFIT HANDSOMELY

The Dorman & Krause carnival, which is showing here all this week for the benefit of the Clearfield Fire department opened their different shows for business last evening, having to force that pleasure Monday evening on account of the copious rains and failure to get all the paraphernalia transported to the grounds and set up Monday.

Despite the fact that many people remained away thru fear that the grounds would be muddy and sloppy, a huge crowd was out and every one of the ten different shows were most liberally patronized from the time the doors were opened until the tired show people put up the bars about 11 o'clock.

Sig. DeLaurentis' excellent band delivered a pleasing concert at the court house corner at 7 o'clock and then marched to the grounds ahead of a large concourse of people.

The Dorman & Krause shows were in Clearfield during July of 1912 and made many friends by their gentlemanly conduct and the character of their attractions. The same standard is maintained at the present time and everyone present last evening expressed themselves well pleased with each and every attraction.

Of course the merry-go-round and Ferris wheel attracted the kiddos from the go-off, but the whip, that new-fangled contraption in the eyes of Clearfield people, had to have the once or twice over before the untamed world risk its imagined terrors. The terror end of it proved to be purely imaginative too, and after once trying it, it was like reading The Progress, they would have no other and as a result the entrance to the new buzzer was crowded at all times during the entire evening.

The Dog and Pony circus, the motor drome, Ten in One, Museum of Wonderful People and Things are came for their share of patronage. Last but far from being least among the midway's many attractions was 725 pounds of female loveliness done up in one package, and some lucky young man's prize for the asking, that is if the young man, and the offer are pleasing and good to look upon. In fact every fellow with a pound wife ought to see this mountain of female charm and beauty in order just to see how much he was cheated in life's lottery.

The women received a handsome return from last night's business late Frank Gorch, Z. Marko and Frank Michalski, and one of them, at least \$200. Every show is clean venture.

SCARED AUTO DRIVER LOST HIS EXTRA TIRE

"Dead Horse Crossing" a the lower end of town, was the scene of a near accident yesterday morning when a passing automobile just go over the tracks ahead of a switching engine. So narrow was the squeak that the pilot of the engine sheared the extra tire off the back of the car and rolled it into the ditch.

The auto driver was so tickled at getting by with a while hide that he failed to look behind or notice his extra tire was gone and proceeded on his way up town. When he reached O'reutt & Buchanan's garage on Third street he discovered his loss and immediately returned to the crossing but the tire had disappeared.

The motorist returned to the garage and placed the matter of his loss in the hands of Chief Eadie and the chief soon learned that Andy Marsh, an East End colored man, had sold an automobile tire to a "Bowery" merchant. Andy was located at the carnival last evening and when asked regarding the tire transaction promptly fessed up, saying, "Massa Jack, I was comin' up home from the lower end of town when dat tiah jest natchally run right into me. I said 'Andy here is a present some one done wished you and I ups and sells him'." Andy returned the tire and the incident closed.

IMPRISON RUSSIAN NOBLES

Zurich, May 15.—Official confirmation was received in Berlin dispatches today that the Russian dowager Empress Maria and the Russian Grand Duke Nicholas Peter and Alexander had been imprisoned by the Germans in Crimea.

and well worth the admission price and no person need stay away from the show grounds through fear of anything offensive being shown.

The high dive which is given as a fine attraction during the evening was accompanied by the usual thrills and caused several 10 year olds to lose some of their antipathy for water.

Some local grouches are always kicking about the carnival's taking so much money out of town. During a little talk fest with Mr. George Dorman, proprietor of the Dorman & Krause Shows, last evening The Progress man took up that side of the carnival question with him and in reply to our question he said that he carried 125 people with his shows and that their living expenses under existing prices averaged not less than \$2 per day each, which in itself would mean a daily outlay of \$250. In addition to meals and lodging, the other living expenses of the carnival attaches would amount to several dollars each during the week while many were taking advantage of Clearfield's fine stores and purchasing clothing, shoes, etc., in large quantities.

The carnival grounds are in fine shape and if the weather continues fine all week the tremen will realize a handsome sum as their share of the business.

THE THRIFT STAMP AND WAR SAVINGS DRIVE NEEDS YOUR AID

Clearfield people generally have lost sight of the fact that this is Thrift Stamp and War Savings Stamp week in Clearfield County.

They also do not know or fail to realize that our allotment in the nation-wide War Savings Stamp drive is an even \$2,000,000, or a per capita sale of \$20.

Everybody worked with a will and many did more than their share in the Liberty Loan campaign just closed and appear to think that the glorious result attained discharged all other obligations. Unfortunately such is not the case.

Realizing that the War Savings Stamp campaign sandwiched between the Liberty Loan and Red Cross drives would be a strenuous one the burden of it was placed upon the shoulders of the women of the community—to whom all hard tasks are allotted, by common and male consent.

The women are essaying the task with their usual energy and perseverance, but find their burden a heavy one because the people don't seem to understand just what this War Savings Stamp business means, and it is high time everybody awakened to its importance.

The Liberty Loan bonds are in the shape of a guaranteed or fixed sum by a certain time; even the more important War Savings Stamps mean ready money or daily working balance for Uncle Sam in his prosecution of the war and provision for the boys "over there" doing the work.

Help the women in their efforts; acquaint yourself with your country's needs; realize that your boys and your country is in this war every minute of every hour of every day in every month of the year and until the job is done, and then you can more readily see your duty in this matter.

Don't allow these hard-working women to drag their hearts out trying to drag the money out of you. They have already made and are daily making many more sacrifices than you even think of and have every reason to have your help in this matter.

Tell your wife, your son or daughter just what this War Savings Stamp campaign means, have them do more than "two bits" and do your full share to set them the necessary and worthy example.

The War Savings stamp is the quickest way to render financial assistance to the boys "over there" and it is up to all of us to realize that fact and then get busy. Do it now.

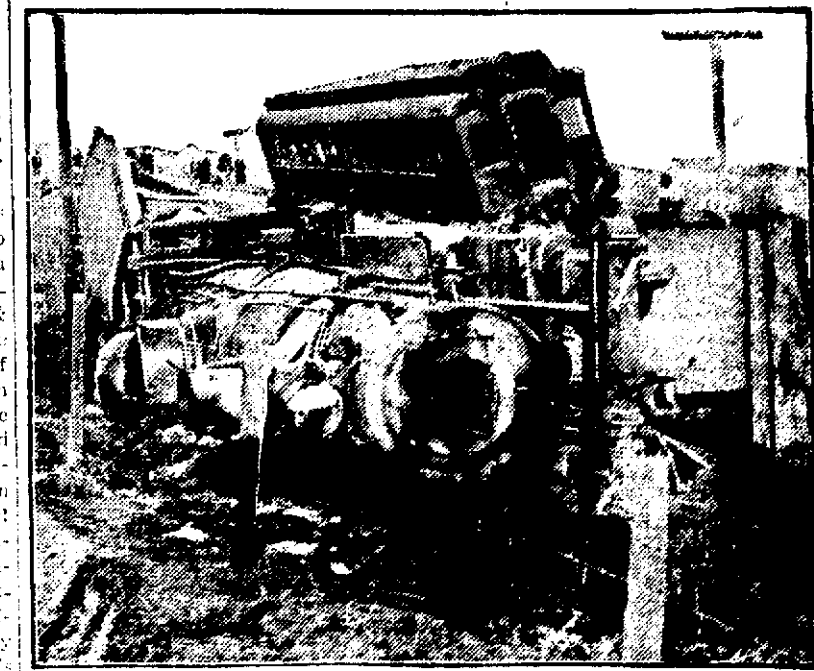
"WORK WILL WIN THE WAR" PLAN MEANS MOBILIZING MANY THOUSANDS

Washington, May 15.—Plans to mobilize for war work thousands of men in deferred draft classes have been framed by Provost Marshal General Crowder. Carrying out his policy of "work will win the war," Crowder proposed first to weed out the loafers hiding behind women's skirts through the defense of dependency and give them choice of work in war plants or to join the army. Thus it would take the men from non-essential industries and from jobs where women could replace them. The plan, it is stated at the Provost Marshal's office, has been submitted to Secretary of War Baker.

Baker himself says it has not come officially before him but that "forward looking persons" are proposing such an idea. The plan is the outgrowth of Crowder's suggestion to raise the draft age to 40 and 45 for industrial purposes, which was thought unnecessary for the present. Crowder's plan would effect over four million men that are in classes 2 and 4, the large dependent classes. Class 3 being made up of skilled necessary workers and class 5 being those totally exempt and those physically rejected.

A glance at the Pittsburgh lineup shows a strange condition of affairs in Pirataville. It is the first time in eighteen years that the list of Pirates didn't include the name of Wagner. Miss Edith Talpey a Burnard college graduate, has been appointed chief chemist at the big plant of the General Chemical company at Kingstons, Ont.

PASSENGER TRAIN DERAILED AFTER COLLIDING WITH HEAVY MOTORTRUCK



The photograph shows the Santa Fe train which was derailed near La Grande, Cal., after colliding with a heavy motortruck of the Union Oil company. The driver of the truck signaled the train that he was stalled on the crossing, but failed to attract the attention of the engineer in time. The engine turned over on its side, and the baggage car and smoker left the track after tearing up more than 100 feet of track. The engineer was probably fatally hurt.

(Political Advertisement)



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It stands beside our boys in training here or "over there."

It watches beside the pillows of battle-broken men, and offers rest and sympathy to war-torn fighters on brief respite from the front.

It carries food and clothing to hungered mothers and little ones in ruined villages.

It helps rebuild the scattered pile of brick and stone they once called "Home."

It brings back to the hopeless mother's arms her long-lost child.

It helps care for the orphans of the men who died that civilization might live.

It helps care for the thousands that have fallen prey to dread tuberculosis.

It nobly represents in deeds of mercy, relief, and restoration the more than twenty million members that have made its great work possible.

Will You Do Your Share to Keep This "Hand of Mercy" at Its Work?

Every cent of every dollar received for the Red Cross War Fund is spent for war relief. All administration costs, relief work for other than war purposes (such as the Halifax and Guatemala disasters) are taken care of out of membership dues, and the interest accruing from the banking of the War Fund has made available for war relief, at least \$1.02 for every \$1 contributed.

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THIRTY-THREE CHILDREN ADOPTED

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This may be summarized the progress of the second week since The Stars and Stripes announced its plan to afford units of the A. E. F. an opportunity to take as their mascots French children whose fathers have been killed or permanently disabled in their brave stand against the Hun and curs. With the five children adopted last week, the total now stands at 38.

From every part of France, it seems, and from nearly every kind of organization have come reassuring responses—requests for boys of six and for girls of ten. For girls of 12 and boys of ten, for brothers and sisters, for tots driven from their homes by the invasion of the Boche. "We are with you," is the tone of all these communications. "We are glad to help."

One by one, the Cleveland Indians are being called to the colors. Already the Indians have lost ten players, with an even chance that Ray Chapman and Josh Billings will bring the number up to an even dozen.

Our College, in Atlanta, one of the oldest colleges in the world chartered exclusively for women, celebrates its 50th anniversary this month.

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Use it like you would soap. Contains nothing injurious. RIT cleans absolutely while it dyes. Will not stain the hands or break the goods.
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LETTER IN THE MORNING MAIL

How Mrs. Lane Finally Realized That Thousands of Other Mothers' Sons Are at War Scarred Battle Front.

By MAXIMILIAN FOSTER
Of the Vigilantes.

Mathematics teach us that 1 from 1 leaves nothing, and there is also the well known biological theorem that you cannot get blood from a turnip. It is also assumed, Sir Isaac Newton having demonstrated the law, that what goes up is bound to come down, but this is only abstract. Mrs. Lane probably would have denied it.

The flat rent, previously \$1,200 a year, now was \$1,400, and it showed no signs whatever of coming down. The same condition applied also to her children's shoes. The shoes now cost \$7, whereas they formerly had cost \$4, but this was merely a detail. A similar phenomenon occurred as to beefsteaks, potatoes, butter, fish and the 57 other varieties of domestic essentials. All had gone up; none had come down. About the only thing stable in Mrs. Lane's cosmos was Mr. Lane's yearly income. This was \$7,000 a year. Already Mrs. Lane had given up one maid. The war literally was at her door. True, Mrs. Lane had no son, no brother—no kin of any kind—in the war, but the war still was at her door.

Hard to Make Ends Meet.
Give money for the war? What do you think she was doing, anyway? She was giving every cent she had, trying to make both ends meet in her household. It hurt, though. Mrs. Lane was a kindly, warm hearted woman, and she would have liked to give. The war was dreadful! It was so dreadful she'd stopped reading about it. But one must read letters. One must do that when a friend takes the trouble to write them.

The letter came in the morning mail. Mrs. Lane read it, then she read it again. Afterward she sat there absorbed, silent, rigid. The color had crept out of her face, and her breath came swiftly from between her parted lips.

"I have just come back from the trenches," it read. "Such an afternoon! A raincloud of seriously wounded to be fed at once, which is trying, as one has to climb into all the carriages, one after the other. We begin with the men who are well enough to sit up and handle their cups, and those who are too ill even to lift their heads, of course, we have to lift and feed ourselves. Feeding the ones with bad face wounds are the hardest. I can stand ordinary wounds of blood, but when a man ought to have a nose and mouth and all he has is a—ugh!—it takes all your courage to get through a feeding. I managed to get half a pint of milk and a beaten egg and some brandy down the throat of a boy of twenty who had no mouth left, and I had to do it between every mouthful. He had had no food for fifteen hours and was so thirsty that he was nearly insane. I held his head against me, and I gagged all the time, but I just kept thinking 'Suppose I was my boy who needed a drink' and there was no one to give it to him." So I went through with it, and he finally went to sleep. Oh, Martha, Martha Lane, see need everything—all you and the rest can send!"

If Lawrence Had Gone to War.
One o'clock struck. Mrs. Lane still sat with the letter clutched in her hand. "What's for dinner?" asked Hannah, the maid. Mrs. Lane hardly heard her. She was still sitting there when Olivia thundered in. Olivia was four teen, the conscious age. "Mother," she said fretfully. "I can't go to dancing school again in brown gloves when all the other girls have white ones." The plaint reminded Mrs. Lane that Lawrence, at boarding school had written that morning about his socks. He had only two pairs of silk ones left. "And, mother," said Olivia, continuing—But what Olivia said Mrs. Lane didn't hear. She had dropped her head on the table and unaccountably was weeping. "Just suppose it was my boy—mine!" she was sobbing.

"Why, mother?" ejaculated Olivia. She hurried toward her mother. "What is it, mother? You're acting just as though Lawrence had gone to war!" Mrs. Lane looked up, the tears streaking down her face. "That's just what is the matter with me! I should be acting as if Lawrence were there. And so should you! If Willie were like these boys there," she pointed to the letter that had slipped from her lap to the floor—"if he were, like them, in need, dying, wanting eggs, milk, brandy, to keep him alive, would you be buying white gloves? And would we think what other people wear or how they live or whether we had only one servant now? If my boy was over there, if my son were—"

But other women's sons are over there. Mrs. Lane had at last realized this. The tears were rolling down her cheeks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dale of DuBois are visiting Mr. Dale's daughter, Mrs. John Toot of Red street.

John Barratt, of Ridgway was visiting relatives in town today

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Wynn left today after spending a few days with the latter's parents.

Mrs. A. E. Letzinger, Miss Helen Dufton and guest Miss Kathryn Cressman of Philadelphia left this morning for Ann Arbor, Mich., to visit William Letzinger and John Dufton who are attending the University of Michigan there. From there Miss Dufton and Miss Cressman will go to Battle Creek, Mich., to visit Lt. Edward Dufton who is stationed at Camp Custer.

Miss Lillian Carlisle of Pittsburgh arrived last evening to visit at the home of Matt Savage on Pine street.

Miss Bess Shaw left today for Williamsport, where she will make her home.

George Ammerman, Leslie Strunk and George Strickland, all of Curwensville, were among the out of town visitors at the carnival here last evening.

Mrs. Harry Emory of Curwensville was shopping in our stores yesterday.

Douglas Dunsmore of Curwensville attended the carnival here last evening.

Mrs. Harry Boulton will entertain Thursday afternoon at a knitting party at her home on West Market street.

Ernest Walker of Faunce, was attending to business in town today.

Mrs. Gilbert Lighty and daughter, Helen, of Grampian, were among the out of town shoppers here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hoover and son Billie and Mrs. Hoover's mother Mrs. John Troxell arrived home yesterday from Petersburg, Va., where they were visiting Corp. Glasgow B. Troxell at Camp Lee.

John Cornell of Faunce, was attending to business in town today.

Mrs. Jennie McNaul of Curwensville, was shopping here yesterday.

William Orr of Glen Richey attended the carnival here last evening.

Mrs. Otto F. Adamitz was shopping in our stores yesterday.

Miss Agnes Dugan of Osceola, was among the out of town shoppers here yesterday.

Roy Fullington left today for Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., after spending his furlough with relatives here.

Mrs. G. Warner Johnson and son Arden and parents Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Thorn returned yesterday from an auto trip to Selingsgrove, Sunbury and Harrisburg.

Miss Mary Shearer of Curwensville was shopping in our city yesterday.

James McGee of McGees Mills attended to business here today.

Jesse Straw of Wigton transacted business here today.

A. M. Spencer of DuBois, was in town on business today.

John McGrath of Houtzdale, had business at the county seat today.

William Strayer of Detroit, Mich., arrived yesterday to spend a week's vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Philip Strayer of Cemetery Road.

Paul Dempsey, of Osceola, was attending to business in town today.

J. A. Duff, of Mahaffey transacted business in our city today.

David Muffett, of Philipsburg, was in Clearfield on business today.

John Lester left today for Jersey Shore to attend to business.

Merritt J. Westcott was transacting business in DuBois today.

William Bolinger of Rosebud, attended to business in town today.

Thos. Cambell, of Glen Richey, transacted business at the county seat today.

J. E. Fry, of DuBois, transacted business in town today.

Bish Shaw arrived home last evening from Dickinson college at Carlisle to spend the summer vacation.

E. M. Westcott of Philipsburg, is transacting business in town.

Miss Helen Smith of Walnut street

Statement of the COUNTY NATIONAL BANK of Clearfield, Pa. At the close of business May 16, 1918 (Compiled from its report to the Comptroller of Currency)	
RESOURCES	
Investments, less demand	
U. S. bonds	\$4,098,150.70
U. S. drafts	5,701.07
U. S. States bonds	1,803,150.00
Real estate, furniture	
and fixtures	49,140.69
Due from United States	
treasury	27,960.00
Interest earned but not	
collected	27,800.00
Cash Resources	
On hand	182,112.47
Due from	
banks	940,872.88
Demand loans on	
collateral	121,125.53
	1,253,119.88
Total	6,762,013.34
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	500,000.00
Surplus and	
profits	785,057.17
Reserve for interest and	
taxes	40,162.40
Due on	
collation	500,000.00
Due from banks	8,069.80
Deposits unpaid	257.00
Deposits	4,977,931.97
Total	6,762,013.34

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BAPTISTS AT ATLANTIC CITY

Atlantic City, N. J., May 15.—Several thousand delegates and probably two or three as many visitors have gathered at this resort to attend the Northern Baptist convention, which was formally opened today. Nearly every state of the union is represented. The sessions will continue an entire week and will be devoted to the consideration of important questions affecting the future work of the denomination. The nature problems of the church have a foremost place on the agenda.

The convention controls the activities of the American Baptist Publication society, with headquarters in Philadelphia; of the American Baptist Foreign Mission society, with headquarters in Boston, and of the American Baptist Home Mission society, with headquarters in New York City.

ANOTHER HOSS TRADER BIT

The home-spun philosophy of David Hoss will again be matched against Blackstone's logic, in more "loss time" litigation in the Clearfield county courts, following an action begun by Pentz & Pentz in the Prothonotary's office yesterday. In this case, suit is brought on behalf of Harry Cathers of Jefferson county against Carson & Co., DuBois, horse dealers.

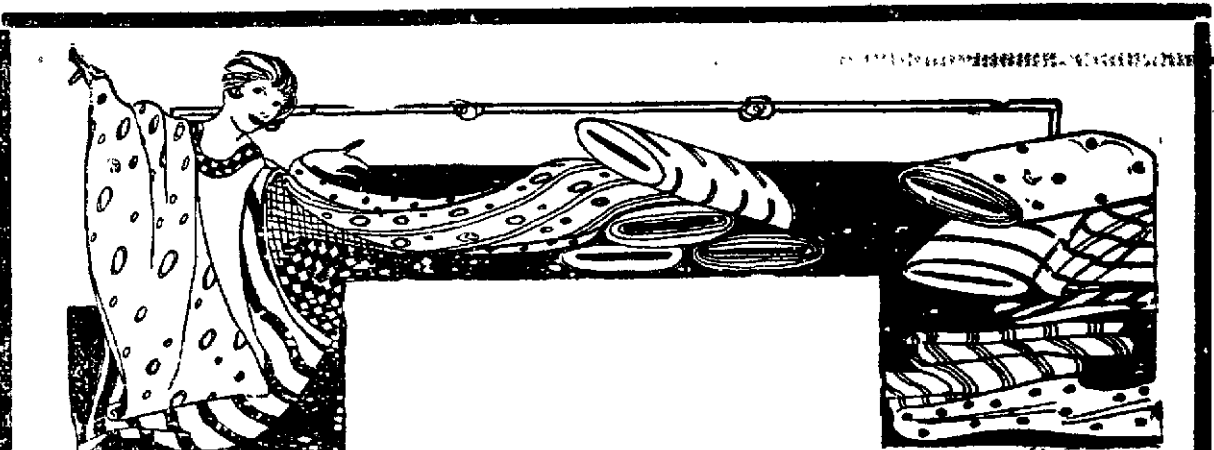
Cathers alleges that he purchased a team from Carson & Co. January 21, 1918, and that one of the horses did not live up to the representations made and following a demand that the horse be taken back made on April 25th last and refused, this suit is brought. Cathers wants \$300 for the defective horse.

Advertise in The Progress.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Dotts of New Millport, motored to Clearfield today to shop.



Thousands of Yards of Wash Goods Are on Display Marked at Prices That Show the Results of Keen Merchandising

You've heard, no doubt—AND WE KNOW IT FOR A FACT—that there are merchants who—as the common saying goes—"can't see beyond their nose." These are merchants who refuse to see ahead, and claim that they'll charge their customers whatever they have to pay, plus their accustomed profit. A very safe policy for the merchant this. But what about the customer who must pay more, due to the unprogressiveness of the store from which she buys?

If we were free with comparative quotations, we could unquestionably open your eyes in amazement at the savings effected in each and every case by foresighted purchasing of these wash goods stocks.

27 Inch Windsor Foulards at yard	25c
40 Inch Figured Voiles at yard	29c
32 Inch fine plaid dress gingham at yard	29c
36 Inch sport Pongees at yard	35c
36 Inch dress linens at yard	95c

Our Great Silk Sale Continues All This Week

Here is a wonderful bargain we have added to continue the interest in this great sale.

\$2.50 and \$3.50 Figured crepe-de-chine, 40 inches wide per yard **98c**

These beautiful figured crepe-de-chines will not last long at this price, so we advise an early visit if you wish to secure any of these silks.

Three Interesting Specials

50c Fancy Ribbons at 29c Yd

A special purchase of 50 pieces makes this special possible. They are 5 and 6 inches wide in beautiful colors and designs, very desirable for hair bows, sashes and fancy bags, etc.

50c Summer Union Suits at 39c Yd

This is an odd lot we wish to close out. Fine gauze ribbed, comfy cut in lace and tight knee. A splendid value.

\$1 Porch Pillows at 79c

Round porch pillows of cretonne with ruffled edges, already filled ready for use. A regular \$1.00 value, our special price 79c.

Uncle Hiram's Varnish

Uncle Hiram's Varnish is applied with a cloth. For autos, furniture, floors, and all painted or varnished surfaces, wood or metal. It dries hard in eight to ten hours and gives a mirror-like surface. 3 sizes, 30c, 55c and \$1.00.

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Cleans and polishes furniture, pianos, victrolas, autos, etc., and is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. Two sizes, 25c and 50c.

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Juice of Lemons! How to Make Skin White and Beautiful

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quart of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in them, this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice used to bleach and remove such blemishes as sallowness, freckles and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smoothenor and beautifier.

July try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make

up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck and hands. It naturally should help to soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is wonderful to smoothen rough, red hands.

Mr. and Mrs. George McNeal and children of Jersey Shore are visiting his brother and family on River street.

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25c—50c—\$1.00

Your Lawn

to be as beautiful as mother nature plans it shall be, should have a little assistance from you. It should have a shave at LEAST once a week with one of our

Lawn Mowers

Like a joy ride pushing one of the new models which run like a watch. Strictly high grade in every particular. Sizes run 12 to 18 inches at \$5.00 to \$15.00.

Many good landscape gardeners recommend sowing a little

Lawn Grass Seed

every growing month in the year for the best results. Woodruff's Central Park is an ideal mixture for the purpose. We sell it in bulk or in packages.

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